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Dated October 15, 2004

To: Assistant Secretary, Indian Affairs*

Director, Fish and Wildlife Service {Lead}

Director, National Park Service Director, Geological Survey

Director, Office of Surface Mining Director, Bureau of Land Management Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation

From: Team Leader, Natural Resources Management

Office of Environmental Policy and Compliance

Subject: Review of Notice of Application for Non-Project Use of Project Lands and Waters;

Pensacola Project, FERC No. P-1494-277; Craig, Delaware, Mayes, and Ottawa

Counties, Oklahoma (ER 04/761)(Agency due date: November 8, 2004)

PLEASE EXPEDITE

The Federal Energy Regulatory Commission has requested the Department to review the application for the subject project. The document was issued on October 7, 2004 and can be viewed on the Commission's website at: http://www.ferc.gov, using the "eLibrary" Link.

Please review this application from your particular jurisdiction or special expertise and provide your comments to the Regional Director, Fish and Wildlife Service in Albuquerque, New Mexico by **October 29, 2004.** If your bureau wishes to intervene, please follow the instructions in Environmental Review Memorandum ERM 99-2. **INTERVENTIONS ARE DUE BY November 8, 2004.**

The Regional Director, FWS, will prepare the Department's comments for signature by the Regional Environmental Officer in Albuquerque, NM by **November 3, 2004.**

<u>Please supply all signed, paper comments and comments on disk or by electronic mail to the REO.</u> Previous reviews are under ER 01/079, 01/138, 01/608, 01/629, 01/736, 02/081, 02/139, 02/889, 03/779, and 04/428.

/s/ 10/15/04 Vijai N. Rai cc: Assistant Secretaries

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